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**AMENDMENTS**

Claim 1(currently amended): An aqueous, foamable antimicrobial liquid cleansing formulation  
that is dispensed as a foam comprising:

an antimicrobial agent having a phenol moiety; and

a foam boosting surfactant wherein the viscosity of the formulation is about 10  
~~less than about 50~~ centipoise at 24° C.

Claim 2(original): The formulation of claim 1 wherein the antimicrobial agent is selected from  
the group consisting of triclosan and para-chlorometa-xlenol.

Claim 3(original): The formulation of claim 1 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is a C<sub>8</sub>-C<sub>18</sub>  
acylisethionate.

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Claim 4(original): The formulation of claim 3 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is ammonium  
cocoyl isethionate.

Claim 5(original): The formulation of claim 1 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is between  
about 5% by weight and about 20% by weight of the formulation.

Claim 6(original): The formulation of claim 5 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is a C<sub>8</sub>-C<sub>18</sub>  
acylisethionate.

Claim 7(original): The formulation of claim 6 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is ammonium  
cocoyl isethionate.

Claim 8 (new): An aqueous, antimicrobial formulation to be dispensed from a foam forming device comprising:

an antimicrobial agent having a phenol moiety; and

a foam boosting surfactant wherein the viscosity of the formulation is low.

Claim 9 (new): The formulation of claim 8 wherein the viscosity of the formulation is less than about 20 centipoise at 24° C.

Claim 10 (new): An aqueous, antimicrobial formulation to be dispensed from a foam forming device comprising:

an antimicrobial agent having a phenol moiety;

a foam boosting anionic surfactant;

an anionic surfactant wherein the antimicrobial agent is solubilized ;

a foam building amphoteric surfactant;

a nonionic surfactant; and

a non-aqueous solvent wherein the viscosity of the formulation is low.

Claim 11(new): The formulation of claim 10 wherein the antimicrobial agent is selected from the group consisting of triclosan and para-chlorometa-xlenol.

Claim 12(new): The formulation of claim 10 wherein the foam boosting amphoteric surfactant is a C<sub>8</sub>-C<sub>18</sub> acylisethionate.

Claim 13(new): The formulation of claim 12 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is ammonium cocoyl isethionate.

Claim 14(new): The formulation of claim 10 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is between about 5% by weight and about 20% by weight of the formulation.

Claim 15(new): The formulation of claim 14 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is a C<sub>8</sub>-C<sub>18</sub> acylisethionate.

Claim 16(new): The formulation of claim 15 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is ammonium cocoyl isethionate.

Claim 17(new): The formulation of claim 10 wherein the anionic surfactant is between 2% by weight and 12% by weight of the formulation.

Claim 18(new): The formulation of claim 17 wherein the anionic surfactant is selected from the group consisting of sulfated alkyl phenol ethoxylates, alkyl-aryl sulfonates, aliphatic sulfonates, and aromatic sulfonates.

Claim 19(new): The formulation of claim 10 wherein the foam building surfactant is between 2% by weight and 12% by weight of the formulation.

Claim 20(new): The formulation of claim 19 wherein the foam building surfactant is selected from the group consisting of ammonium fatty sulfo succinates, alkanolamides, and amine oxides.

Claim 21(new): The formulation of claim 10 wherein the nonionic surfactant is between 1% by weight and 6% by weight of the formulation.

Claim 22(new): The formulation of claim 21 wherein the nonionic surfactant is selected from a group consisting of oxypropylene and oxyethylene condensates having a molecular weight range between 1000 and 15,000, alkylphenol ethoxylates and primary alcohol thoxylates.

Claim 23(new): The formulation of claim 10 wherein the non-aqueous solvent is between 1% by weight and 8% by weight of the formulation.

Claim 24(new): The formulation of claim 23 wherein the non-aqueous solvent is selected from a group consisting of glycols, alcohols, ethyl acetate, acetone, and triacetin.

Claim 25(new): The formulation of claim 10 wherein the viscosity of the formulation is less than about 20 centipoise at 24° C.

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Claim 26(new): The formulation of claim 25 wherein the viscosity of the formulation is about 10 centipoise at 24° C.

Claim 27(new): A method to foam a solution to be used for hand cleansing comprising the steps:

providing an aqueous solution comprising an antimicrobial agent having a phenol moiety; and a foam boosting surfactant wherein the viscosity of the formulation is about 10 centipoise at 24° C; and  
dispensing the solution from a foam-generating dispenser.

Claim 28(new): The method of claim 27 wherein the antimicrobial agent is selected from the group consisting of triclosan and para-chlorometa-xlenol.

Claim 29(new): The method of claim 27 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is a C<sub>8</sub>-C<sub>18</sub> acylisethionate.

Claim 30(new): The method of claim 29 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is ammonium cocoyl isethionate.

Claim 31(new): The method of claim 27 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is between about 5% by weight and about 20% by weight of the formulation.

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Claim 32(new): The method of claim 31 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is a C<sub>8</sub>-C<sub>18</sub> acylisethionate.

Claim 33(new): The method of claim 32 wherein the foam boosting surfactant is ammonium cocoyl isethionate.

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